

MILLION IN BRAZIL LOYAL TO KAISER

South American Colony Is New
"Fatherland," Embracing
11,534 Square Miles.

RESISTS MONROE DOCTRINE

Community of Expatriates Aids
Sea Raiders and Otherwise
Helps Teutons.

A war geography bulletin issued by the National Geographic Society says: "The recent naval engagement between the British ship *Amethyst* and two German raiders in the South Atlantic took place near the island of Fernando de Noronha, off the south coast of Brazil, and fairly contiguous to the largest aggregation of German population in that republic, where, it has been suspected, there have been maintained bases of supplies for the German ships which have operated so extensively against shipping in those waters.

"The German element in Brazil is numerous enough and energetic enough to carry out such a policy if they choose to do so. They number at least a million souls, and they are practically limited in residence to the four southernmost of the Brazilian maritime states, Rio Grande do Sul, Santa Catarina, Parana and So Paulo, where they have thrust their national roots far into foreign soil without losing any of their inborn characteristics.

"Theodore Roosevelt, writing in 1914 of Sao Paulo, said: 'It is the first time Germans born in the country who could speak only German.'

Colonized 92 Years Ago.

"German colonization in Brazil has been going on since 1825, when the settlement of San Leopoldo, in Rio Grande do Sul, was established. For ten years the stream of immigration continued, when it was interrupted by the sanaculotte revolt in southern Brazil. This interruption lasted for nine years. In 1848 the flood of settlers was perceptibly swollen by the families from Schleswig-Holstein and the other parts of Germany which were affected by the revolt of the duchies against Denmark.

"No less than thirteen important German colonies were established in southern Brazil between 1848 and 1850, the earliest settlers being greatly aided by generous grants of land from the Brazilian government, which allotted no less than 174 acres to each immigrant. Owing to speculative abuses this privilege was largely reduced, but without noticeable effect upon the movement, which was checked only by the imperial edict of 1859 forbidding the further migration of Germans to Brazil.

"This edict remained in vigor until 1890, when, as Austin Harrison terms him in the Pan-Germanic Doctrine, 'the great sea Emperor, William II, saw early and clearly into the future, and taught his subjects to see, too.'

Germans Flood Country.

"Under this teaching the Germanic flood swept in larger volume into Brazil, and now has spread over a territory approximately as large as that of the American States of Florida, Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, and Tennessee. Fully a quarter of a million Germans are to be found in the state of Rio Grande do Sul, where, in the cities, they have taken a strong hold upon the activities of the country and have practically absorbed the commercial and industrial enterprise. In Porto Alegre, the capital of the state, three German publications indicate and expound the Germanic doctrine.

"In Santa Catarina, the next state north, conditions are analogous. German customs and the German idiom prevail, and in many towns one may almost imagine himself in the Fatherland. The Germanic element here was strong enough some years ago to elect a German governor, and, with the exception of the officers of the Federal court, the officeholders are almost entirely German. The anomaly of Brazilian governmental report-written by Germans is by no means unusual.

"The German colony in this state owes no little of its strength to the fact that here, for some time, was the residence of the Prince de Joinville, of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, who married a daughter of Dom Pedro, the first Emperor of Brazil; and the city of Joinville, German to the marrow, is a monument to his royal highness's efforts to form a nucleus for German immigration.

Hold 11,534 Square Miles.

"The land to which the Germans have taken title in South Brazil now gives them an area of holdings of 11,534 square miles, an extent equal to that of Alsace-Lorraine and Saxony together. The aim of the Metropolitan and Hansas Colonization companies at home has been to deflect the current of German emigration from the United States to Brazil, and to have the Brazilian colonists retain their German allegiance. The success of this plan is attested by Konigsburg, who in his work on Rio Grande do Sul says:

"These colonies have built a state within a state. Of German customs very little has been lost; also, the German dialect, with its native idiom, is handed down from generation to generation. Portuguese is little spoken, and even then the Germans use it with great difficulty. The school teachers of the colonies are subsidized German pastors.

"Through their possession of land the Germans in Brazil control one-half of the world's supply of coffee, and the Germanization of the people is further carried out through the compulsion laid upon the army of the employees and servants to learn the German language rather than to oblige the native to gain the native tongue. 'The ideals and ties of the immigrants,' says Frederick William Wile, in the *Electric Magazine*, 'are essentially and ineradicably German.'

Long in Progress.

"It is Wile, also, who declares that 'the Germanization of Brazil is no twentieth century project. It has been in progress for more than seventy years, although aggressively so since

ted only during the last decade (writing in 1906), coincident with the rise of the rampant expansion movement known as Pan-Germanism."

"For this purpose we need a fleet capable not only of coping with the miserable forces of South American states, but powerful enough, if the need should arise, to cause Americans to think twice before making any attempt to apply the Monroe doctrine in South America. 'The defense of South America is a vital interest for Germany.'"

TO REPAVE 14TH STREET

Work of Widening Thoroughfare Will Begin May 1.

The work of repaving with asphalt Fourteenth street from Pennsylvania avenue to F street, will be started May 1, according to an announcement made today by the engineering department of the District government. Preliminary to this work extensive alterations must be made in the vaults of the Willard Hotel, located under the sidewalk, an act of Congress providing that the owners of the abutting property be required to modify the roofs of the vaults at their own expense. Congress appropriated \$7,000 for the repaving.

E. J. Stellwagen and J. J. Darlington, trustees of the Willard estate, owning the hotel, assured the District authorities today that necessary modifications would be made as soon as possible.

W. A. MEANS WINS NEW POST

L. D. Brown to Succeed Goodrich Company's Promoted Treasurer.

Appointment of L. D. Brown, formerly cashier of the First National Bank of Akron, as treasurer of the R. F. Goodrich Company, to succeed W. A. Means, who is to be promoted to second vice president, was announced today by J. L. Wacksmuth, local manager for the company.

Mr. Means is to be elected second vice president at the Goodrich Company's annual meeting, March 14, and at the same time Mr. Brown's appointment as treasurer is to be confirmed.

For almost twenty years Mr. Means has been associated with the Goodrich Company, during which time he has seen it grow from a comparatively small plant with \$2,000,000 capitalization, to the ninety-million-dollar institution of today. For the last seven years Mr. Means has been treasurer, and for twelve years previous to that was assistant treasurer.

STAY IN U.S., SAYS JONES

Senator Warns Americans of Dangers in European Visits.

"I hope that no true Americans will go to Europe at this time, as it might involve the United States in war. See America first, and when it is safe on the other side see what is left over there," said Senator Wesley L. Jones in a lecture last night before the Red Cross branch of the woman's section of the United Service League, for the benefit of the Red Cross, at the Casino.

The lecture showed development of cities during the last fifteen years. Mrs. Perrin Smith recited a poem and sang a solo. Mrs. Carol Devol presided.

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Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter. It proves that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

CAPITAL TO RECEIVE SOLDIERS OF SOUTH

Thirty-nine Business and Professional Men of Washington to Raise \$60,000.

Thirty-nine prominent business and professional men in Washington are today actively at work endeavoring to raise \$60,000 with which to prepare for the twenty-seventh annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans here during the week of June 4.

The thirty-nine men compose the finance committee, of which H. F. Cary, general passenger agent of the Southern railway, is chairman. The committee held a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting at the Willard Hotel yesterday and mapped out plans for raising the required amount.

Speakers at the meeting declared that accurate and reliable information was already in hand to show that at least 30,000 grateful Confederate veterans will attend the reunion. They will be accompanied by several thousand members of the Sons of Veterans, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the Confederate Southern Memorial Association, hundreds of beautiful sponsors, maids of honor and pages, and other visitors. The total number of South-erners expected in Washington during the reunion is estimated at not less than 150,000.

First Washington Reunion.

This being the first Confederate reunion ever held in Washington since the close of the war between the States, and undoubtedly the last that many of the veterans will attend before answering the final roll call, it is intended that it shall be made the best of reunions.

Every energy will be bent to set the stage here in keeping with the settings at previous Confederate reunions. It is the intention of the Washington committee to introduce many innovations.

It is the hope of Col. Robert N. Harper, chairman of the reunion committee, that the entire population of Washington will join in making the reunion a national affair worthy of a place in history.

All the members of the finance committee have been instructed by Chairman Cary and Vice Chairman Milton E. Allen, of the Riggs National Bank, to make an active canvass to raise the necessary \$60,000 as soon as possible. Each of the members has been authorized to receive contributions.

Committee Members.

Following is a list of members of the committee: H. C. Amesley, treasurer Southern railway; B. M. Bridget, Parker, Bridget & Co.; A. Brylawski, manager

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 gallons of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus eradicating bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink when mixed, and should be taken now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.—Adv.

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Dr. J. J. Richardson, physician; Guy T. Scott, vice president Continental Trust Company; Thomas W. Smith, lumber and mill work; Joseph Strasser, president Family Shoe Store; Magnus S. Thompson, clerk, Navy Department; George W. White, president National Metropolitan Bank; Simon Wolf, attorney.

GOMPERS DEFENDS STAND

Replies to Attack Made by Typographical Head.

In his reply to attacks made upon him by President Scott of the International Typographical Union, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in the current issue of the American Federationist, the official magazine of the federation, says that he was attacked for alleged failure to stop a sympathetic strike in the case of the New York Street carmen.

President Gompers says: "The sum total of my offending was that I sympathized with the street carmen in their struggle to secure the right to organize. I was on the side of the men, as against the brutal tyranny of the interests controlling the railroad companies."

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitude more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of

ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow it to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eye two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it is strengthens eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in this city by O'Donnell's Stores, Lixent's-Riker-Hegeman and other druggists.—Adv.

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From The Evening Star, March 7, 1917.

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Head of American Refining Company So Telegraphs to Senator Thomas.

Senator Thomas of Colorado has received telegrams from Earl D. Babst, president of the American Sugar Refining Company, which state that large quantities of sugar have been shipped to Washington within the last ten days and that there should be no sugar shortage in the Capital.

A telegram received by Senator Thomas, March 2, from Babst said in the four days prior to that date the company had shipped to Washington a total of \$55,000 pounds of sugar, which is equivalent to the average deliveries of the company to Washington for an entire month, and is the equivalent of twenty carloads. Mr. Babst said that the records showed on March 2 at least twelve cars had arrived in Washington.

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